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INFORMATION and stuff ---

We are not going to run for any office in N3F in the coming election.

EUSIFANSO---An irregular periodical sponsored by The Eugene Science Fantasy Artisans and The Little Press of 146 East 12th Ave., Eugene, Oregon. It is published at intervals right on the interval and circulated thinly over the English speaking world. It goes primarily to science fiction fans, a small but prominent percentage of whom couldn't find their niche in life with both hands and the aid of a lit candle. Contributions are welcome from all persons good enough and brave enough to stand the Flourine atmosphere.

We'uns here at Box 132 like that editorial policy! It is quoted from issue nine, a new arrival at the POBox. The price is 10¢. The whole zine is well done in a very professional manner. It carries an article that is about the most adult review of the present crop of editors we've seen.

BERT HIGH---came in for extra mention in the Committeeman. He made issue no. 6 as new member 161 and issue no. 7 as new member 179. Possibly due to our rushing his name into print before his application arrived via surface mail. More probably due to a sleepy editor.

ANYWAY--Bert is interested in contacting U. S. members willing to swap British members fanzines. See address above.

INFORMATION and stuff (cont'd.)

LOOK for July 31 carries an article on space stations by Willy Ley, with illustrations by Chesley Bonestell. The non-technical, it gives a clear picture of the military and peaceful uses for a space station that can be built now.

HANNES BOK FOLIO is another new arrival at the FOBox. It's a new item by this noted artist. It's \$3, and well worth it. Order direct from Hannes, Box 137, Cathedral Station, New York 25, N. Y. You won't be disappointed.

THE BENEFITS LIST is out of date. Please discontinue its use.

JANIE LAMB and her sister need a ride to the Nolacon. Contact them direct if you can offer a ride.

THE WELCOMMITTEE has lost Emili A. Thompson, who recently resigned, and gained Richard Bergeron (RFD #1, Newport, Vt.), Richalex Kirs (1441 Overing St., Bronx 61, N. Y.), Mrs. Philip Gerding (Box 484, Roseville, Ill.)

FANATIC FANZINE, edited by Bobby Pope, SW Hill and Hanover Sts., Charleston, S. Car., is an item we never thought we'd see. It is a neat, readable ditto'd zine. Running 25 pages, its a dime and includes poetry by Tom Covington and Orma McCormick, stories by Charles Catania and David English and a column by Neil Wood, plus letters. And don't forget that neat ditto work.

THE CANADIAN SCIENCE FICTION ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER, no. 2 is another new arrival. We're really glad to see this zine appearing again. It's from Chester D. Cuthbert, 54 Ellesmore Ave., St. Vital, Manitoba, Canada, and is devoted to Canadian fan doings. It mentions that Alastair Cameron's Fantasy Classification System has been completed. This is the first complete classification of all plots and should be a great help to writers.

THANKS to Mrs. Philip Gerding for lending us her copy of TCSFAN.

THE EFFECTS OF ATOMIC WEAPONS is a semi-technical book of 456 pages intended for those connected with civilian defense activities. Not exactly light reading, it gives facts and figures on the effects of the bombs, including pictures of the damage to Japanese structures and the Bikini tests. From the Supt. of Documents, U. S. Gov't. Printing Office, Washington 25., D. C. \$1.25, paper bound.

A CANADIAN FAN DIRECTORY is scheduled to appear in the next issue of the Canadian SF Association Newsletter. They'd appreciate hearing from any Canadian fans, especially those who've moved recently. Address Chester D. Cuthbert, 54 Ellesmere Ave., St. Vital, Manitoba, Canada.

We wonder at editors who see fit to rewrite whole sections of the work of some of their best authors, even though they completely destroy the effect the author was striving for. Wouldn't they be further ahead to sell their work to another mag and use the income to purchase more good stories? Or maybe their own work won't sell to any but their own mags?

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